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For Six Month Period Ending \_\_\_\_\_

(Insert date)

Name of Registrant

The Palestine Arab Delegation

Registration No. 1459

Business Address of Registrant

P.O. Box 608, Grand Central Station, New York, NY 10163

I—REGISTRANT

1. Has there been a change in the information previously furnished in connection with the following:

(a) If an individual:

(1) Residence address	Yes <input type="checkbox"/>	No <input type="checkbox"/>
(2) Citizenship	Yes <input type="checkbox"/>	No <input type="checkbox"/>
(3) Occupation	Yes <input type="checkbox"/>	No <input type="checkbox"/>

(b) If an organization:

(1) Name	Yes <input type="checkbox"/>	No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
(2) Ownership or control	Yes <input type="checkbox"/>	No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
(3) Branch offices	Yes <input type="checkbox"/>	No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>

2. Explain fully all changes, if any, indicated in item 1.

IF THE REGISTRANT IS AN INDIVIDUAL, OMIT RESPONSE TO ITEMS 3, 4, and 5.

3. Have any persons ceased acting as partners, officers, directors or similar officials of the registrant during this 6 month reporting period? Yes ☐ No ☒

If yes, furnish the following information:

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Position \_\_\_\_\_

Date Connection  
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4. Have any persons become partners, officers, directors or similar officials during this 6 month reporting period?  
 Yes ☐ No ☒

If yes, furnish the following information:

<i>Name</i>	<i>Residence Address</i>	<i>Citizenship</i>	<i>Position</i>	<i>Date Assumed</i>
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5. Has any person named in Item 4 rendered services directly in furtherance of the interests of any foreign principal?  
 Yes ☐ No ☒

If yes, identify each such person and describe his services.

6. Have any employees or individuals other than officials, who have filed a short form registration statement, terminated their employment or connection with the registrant during this 6 month reporting period? Yes ☐ No ☒

If yes, furnish the following information:

<i>Name</i>	<i>Position or connection</i>	<i>Date terminated</i>
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7. During this 6 month reporting period, have any persons been hired as employees or in any other capacity by the registrant who rendered services to the registrant directly in furtherance of the interests of any foreign principal in other than a clerical or secretarial, or in a related or similar capacity? Yes ☐ No ☒

If yes, furnish the following information:

<i>Name</i>	<i>Residence Address</i>	<i>Position or connection</i>	<i>Date connection began</i>
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## II—FOREIGN PRINCIPAL

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8. Has your connection with any foreign principal ended during this 6 month reporting period? Yes ☐ No ☒

If yes, furnish the following information:

*Name of foreign principal*

*Date of Termination*

9. Have you acquired any new foreign principal<sup>1</sup> during this 6 month reporting period? Yes ☐ No ☒

If yes, furnish following information:

*Name and address of foreign principal*

*Date acquired*

10. In addition to those named in Items 8 and 9, if any, list the foreign principals<sup>1</sup> whom you continued to represent during the 6 month reporting period.

The Arab Higher Committee for Palestine, Almansurieh, Lebanon.

## III—ACTIVITIES

11. During this 6 month reporting period, have you engaged in any activities for or rendered any services to any foreign principal named in Items 8, 9, and 10 of this statement? Yes ☒ No ☐

If yes, identify each such foreign principal and describe in full detail your activities and services:

The Arab Higher Committee for Palestine, Almansurieh, Lebanon.  
Our activities were as follows:

1. Held meetings and conferences with members of the United Nations Delegations.
2. Entertained members of United Nations Delegations and others in the United Nations.
3. Submitted a Statement to President Reagan and distributed same.
4. Submitted Statements to Organs of the United Nations.

<sup>1</sup>The term "foreign principal" includes, in addition to those defined in section 1(b) of the Act, an individual or organization any of whose activities are directly or indirectly supervised, directed, controlled, financed, or subsidized in whole or in major part by a foreign government, foreign political party, foreign organization or foreign individual. (See Rule 100(a)(9)).

A registrant who represents more than one foreign principal is required to list in the statements he files under the Act only those foreign principals for whom he is not entitled to claim exemption under Section 3 of the Act. (See Rule 208.)

12. During this 6 month reporting period, have you on behalf of any foreign principal engaged in political activity<sup>2</sup> as defined below?  
 Yes ☒ No ☐

Our principal is the Arab Higher Committee for Palestine, Almansurieh, Lebanon.

If yes, identify each such foreign principal and describe in full detail all such political activity, indicating, among other things, the relations, interests and policies sought to be influenced and the means employed to achieve this purpose. If the registrant arranged, sponsored or delivered speeches, lectures or radio and TV broadcasts, give details as to dates, places of delivery, names of speakers and subject matter.

Our principal is the Arab Higher Committee for Palestine, Almansurieh, Lebanon. Our activities are principally at the United Nations to win support of United Nations Delegations in the just cause of the Palestine Arab people, victims of Zionist oppressions, occupation and usurpation. Our activities in the United Nations consisted of few releases. Our activities in the United Nations are:

- a. Disproving Zionist lies and revealing the truth to the American public about the Palestine problem.
- b. Persuade United States Administration to have its policy in the Middle East on justice and best interest of the United States.
- c. United States stop supporting Zionist illegal oppression and occupation of Palestine, and at least be neutral.
- d. Persuade U.S.A. to resist to pressure of Zionist leaders who are conspiring to railroad U.S.A. into a Middle East War which may lead to WORLD WAR III.

13. In addition to the above described activities, if any, have you engaged in activity on your own behalf which benefits any or all of your foreign principals? Yes ☐ No ☒

If yes, describe fully.

<sup>2</sup>The term "political activities" means the dissemination of political propaganda and any other activity which the person engaging therein believes will, or which he intends to, prevail upon, indoctrinate, convert, induce, persuade, or in any other way influence any agency or official of the Government of the United States or any section of the public within the United States with reference to formulating, adopting, or changing the domestic or foreign policy of the United States or with reference to the political or public interests, policies, or relations of a government of a foreign country or a foreign political party.

## IV—FINANCIAL INFORMATION

## 14. (a) RECEIPTS—MONIES

During this 6 month reporting period, have you received from any foreign principal named in Items 8, 9 and 10 of this statement, or from any other source, for or in the interests of any such foreign principal, any contributions, income or money either as compensation or otherwise? Yes ☒ No ☐

If yes, set forth below in the required detail and separately for each foreign principal an account of such monies.<sup>3</sup>

<i>Date</i>	<i>From Whom</i>	<i>Purpose</i>	<i>Amount</i>
July - Dec., 1987	The Arab Higher Committee for Palestine	Office Expenses	\$23,500.-

Total \$23,500.-

## (b) RECEIPTS—THINGS OF VALUE

During this 6 month reporting period, have you received any thing of value<sup>4</sup> other than money from any foreign principal named in Items 8, 9 and 10 of this statement, or from any other source, for or in the interests of any such foreign principal?

Yes ☐ No ☒

If yes, furnish the following information:

<i>Name of foreign principal</i>	<i>Date received</i>	<i>Description of thing of value</i>	<i>Purpose</i>
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<sup>3</sup>A registrant is required to file an Exhibit D if he collects or receives contributions, loans, money, or other things of value for a foreign principal, as part of a fund raising campaign. See Rule 201(e).

<sup>4</sup>Things of value include but are not limited to gifts, interest free loans, expense free travel, favored stock purchases, exclusive rights, favored treatment over competitors, "kickbacks," and the like.

## 15. (a) DISBURSEMENTS—MONIES

During this 6 month reporting period, have you

(1) disbursed or expended monies in connection with activity on behalf of any foreign principal named in Items 8, 9 and 10 of this statement?      Yes ☒      No ☐

(2) transmitted monies to any such foreign principal?      Yes ☐      No ☒

If yes, set forth below in the required detail and separately for each foreign principal an account of such monies, including monies transmitted, if any, to each foreign principal.

<i>Date</i>	<i>To Whom</i>	<i>Purpose</i>	<i>Amount</i>
July - Dec., 1987	Issa Nakhleh	Salary	\$ 3,000.-
		Temp.help	2,500.-
		Rent & Electricity	9,900.-
		Stationary & Printing	3,200.-
		Stamps & mailing	1,850.-
		Telephone & cables	650.-
		Entertainment in the United Nations for Delegates	750.-
		Newspapers & books	450.-
		Miscellaneous: repairs, cleaning, etc.	350.-

Total \$22,650.-

## 15. (b) DISBURSEMENTS—THINGS OF VALUE

During this 6 month reporting period, have you disposed of anything of value<sup>5</sup> other than money in furtherance of or in connection with activities on behalf of any foreign principal named in items 8, 9 and 10 of this statement?

Yes ☐ No ☒

If yes, furnish the following information:

<i>Date disposed</i>	<i>Name of person to whom given</i>	<i>On behalf of what foreign principal</i>	<i>Description of thing of value</i>	<i>Purpose</i>
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## (c) DISBURSEMENTS—POLITICAL CONTRIBUTIONS

During this 6 month reporting period, have you from your own funds and on your own behalf either directly or through any other person, made any contributions of money or other things of value<sup>5</sup> in connection with an election to any political office, or in connection with any primary election, convention, or caucus held to select candidates for political office?

Yes ☐ No ☒

If yes, furnish the following information:

<i>Date</i>	<i>Amount or thing of value</i>	<i>Name of political organization</i>	<i>Name of candidate</i>
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## V—POLITICAL PROPAGANDA

(Section 1(j) of the Act defines "political propaganda" as including any oral, visual, graphic, written, pictorial, or other communication or expression by any person (1) which is reasonably adapted to, or which the person disseminating the same believes will, or which he intends to, prevail upon, indoctrinate, convert, induce, or in any other way influence a recipient or any section of the public within the United States with reference to the political or public interests, policies, or relations of a government of a foreign country or a foreign political party or with reference to the foreign policies of the United States or promote in the United States racial, religious, or social dissensions, or (2) which advocates, advises, instigates, or promotes any racial, social, political, or religious disorder, civil riot, or other conflict involving the use of force or violence in any other American republic or the overthrow of any government or political subdivision of any other American republic by any means involving the use of force or violence.)

16. During this 6 month reporting period, did you prepare, disseminate or cause to be disseminated any political propaganda as defined above? Yes ☒ No ☐

IF YES, RESPOND TO THE REMAINING ITEMS IN THIS SECTION V.

17. Identify each such foreign principal.

The Arab Higher Committee for Palestine, Almansurieh, Lebanon.

<sup>5</sup>Things of value include but are not limited to gifts, interest free loans, expense free travel, favored stock purchases, exclusive rights, favored treatment over competitors, "kickbacks," and the like.

18. During this 6 month reporting period, has any foreign principal established a budget or allocated a specified sum of money to finance your activities in preparing or disseminating political propaganda? Yes ☒ No ☐

If yes, identify each such foreign principal, specify amount, and indicate for what period of time.

The Arab Higher Committee for Palestine: see 15(a).

19. During this 6 month reporting period, did your activities in preparing, disseminating or causing the dissemination of political propaganda include the use of any of the following: Yes .

☐ Radio or TV broadcasts    ☐ Magazine or newspaper articles    ☐ Motion picture films    ☐ Letters or telegrams  
☐ Advertising campaigns    ☐ Press releases    ☒ Pamphlets or other publications    ☐ Lectures or speeches  
☐ Other (specify) \_\_\_\_\_

20. During this 6 month reporting period, did you disseminate or cause to be disseminated political propaganda among any of the following groups: Yes .

☐ Public Officials    ☐ Newspapers    ☐ Libraries  
☐ Legislators    ☐ Editors    ☐ Educational institutions  
☐ Government agencies    ☐ Civic groups or associations    ☐ Nationality groups  
☐ Other (specify) \_\_\_\_\_

21. What language was used in this political propaganda:

☒ English

☐ Other (specify) \_\_\_\_\_

22. Did you file with the Registration Section, U.S. Department of Justice, two copies of each item of political propaganda material disseminated or caused to be disseminated during this 6 month reporting period? Yes ☒ No ☐

23. Did you label each item of such political propaganda material with the statement required by Section 4(b) of the Act? Yes ☒ No ☐

24. Did you file with the Registration Section, U.S. Department of Justice, a Dissemination Report for each item of such political propaganda material as required by Rule 401 under the Act? Yes ☒ No ☐

## VI—EXHIBITS AND ATTACHMENTS

### 25. EXHIBITS A AND B

- (a) Have you filed for each of the newly acquired foreign principals in Item 9 the following:

Exhibit A<sup>6</sup>    Yes ☐    No ☐    Not relevant.  
 Exhibit B<sup>7</sup>    Yes ☐    No ☐

If no, please attach the required exhibit.

- (b) Have there been any changes in the Exhibits A and B previously filed for any foreign principal whom you represented during this six month period? Yes ☐ No ☒

If yes, have you filed an amendment to these exhibits? Yes ☐ No ☐

If no, please attach the required amendment.

<sup>6</sup>The Exhibit A, which is filed on Form CRM-157 (Formerly OBD-67) sets forth the information required to be disclosed concerning each foreign principal.

<sup>7</sup>The Exhibit B, which is filed on Form CRM-155 (Formerly OBD-65) sets forth the information concerning the agreement or understanding between the registrant and the foreign principal.



If you have previously filed an Exhibit C<sup>3</sup>, state whether any changes therein have occurred during this 6 month reporting period. Yes ☐ No ☒

If yes, have you filed an amendment to the Exhibit C? Yes ☐ No ☐

If no, please attach the required amendment.

## 27. SHORT FORM REGISTRATION STATEMENT

Have short form registration statements been filed by all of the persons named in Items 5 and 7 of the supplemental statement? Yes ☒ No ☐

If no, list names of persons who have not filed the required statement.

The undersigned swear(s) or affirm(s) that he has (they have) read the information set forth in this registration statement and the attached exhibits and that he is (they are) familiar with the contents thereof and that such contents are in their entirety true and accurate to the best of his (their) knowledge and belief, except that the undersigned make(s) no representation as to the truth or accuracy of the information contained in attached Short Form Registration Statement, if any, insofar as such information is not within his (their) personal knowledge.

(Type or print name under each signature)

(Both copies of this statement shall be signed and sworn to before a notary public or other person authorized to administer oaths by the agent, if the registrant is an individual, or by a majority of those partners, officers, directors or persons performing similar functions who are in the United States, if the registrant is an organization.)

ISSA NAKHLEH

Subscribed and sworn to before me at New York

this 7th day of January, 19 88.

NOTARY PUBLIC  
State of New York  
No. 60-5428430  
Qualified in Nassau County  
License Expires October 31, 1997

(Signature of notary or other officer)

<sup>3</sup>The Exhibit C, for which no printed form is provided, consists of a true copy of the charter, articles of incorporation, association, constitution, and bylaws of a registrant that is an organization. (A waiver of the requirement to file an Exhibit C may be obtained for good cause upon written application to the Assistant Attorney General, Criminal Division, Internal Security Section, U.S. Department of Justice, Washington, D.C. 20530.)

## THE PALESTINE ARAB DELEGATION

P.O. Box 608  
Grand Central Station  
New York, N.Y. 10163

September 8, 1987

Honorable George P. Shultz  
Secretary of State  
Department of State  
Washington, D.C.

Dear Mr. Secretary:

On Saturday, the 5th of September, 1987, the Zionist War Criminals committed another War Crime by massacring 49 Palestinians and wounding 60 others, 50% of whom were women and children. They destroyed several apartment buildings and offices and 50 homes of the Palestine refugees and made 500 people homeless. They used American-made planes in committing this War Crime of attacking the Palestine refugee camp of Ain Hilwe in the Sidon area with American-made rockets and bombs. They dropped many time bombs to explode after the raid, in order to kill even more women and children.

I was shocked and outraged to read the statement issued by the Department of State about this savage War Crime. That evasive, wishy-washy statement is an insult to the position and prestige of the United States as a World Power and a permanent member to the United States Security Council. This statement equates the Zionist War Criminals who committed this massacre with the innocence of Palestinian women and children. It sounds as if the State Department justifies this Zionist War Crime and does not even mention the Palestinians, as if Palestinian lives and sufferings were of no concern to the Department of State.

You, Mr. Secretary, had the chance when you were working for Bechtel Corporation to know a great deal about the tragedy and sufferings of the Palestinians. You had Palestinian friends in the rich Arab business community. You had dinners and lunches with Palestinians and slept some nights in Palestinian homes. The Palestinians expected that when you became Secretary of State, you would use your deep knowledge about the Palestinians to influence the State Department to be more sympathetic to their plight. But, alas, under the influence of the sinister Henry Kissinger and your advisers (such as your legal advisor and other Zionist zealots in the Department of State who have intimate

relations with Israel and the Washington Israeli Embassy), you, Mr. Secretary, have made the Department of State totally subservient to the will of the Israeli War Criminals and the Jewish Israeli Lobby in Washington.

When an American Jew was killed in the Achille Lauro Ship, the Department of State and the American media were up in arms for weeks condemning this crime. Yet, when 49 Palestinians are massacred, 60 injured and 500 Palestinians are made homeless, the Department of State says nothing about this massacre. Does this mean that the Department of State under your leadership values only the lives of Jews, and that it is insensitive to War Crimes and massacres committed against the Palestinians?

History will record, Mr. Secretary, that the United States Department of State under your leadership and the leadership of your predecessor, General Alexander Haig, has lost its independent will, has lost its sense of justice and firmness, subverted the great traditions of the United States, and has become unfit to be the State Department of this great country, a leader of the Free World.

We cannot forget how your Zionist legal advisor was sent as head of the committee to investigate the Pollard Spy case and tried to cover-up the facts. It was only due to the diligence of the Department of Defence that the Zionist American spy was convicted, showing the great damage done to United States National Security. All United States weapons' secrets which reach Israel end in the KGB's hands, due to the strong connections between the KGB and Mosaad and some Israeli leaders.

Under your leadership and instructions, Mr. Secretary, the United States has been ridiculed in the United Nations because it stands isolated with Israel, alone voting "No" on General Assembly resolutions endorsing the right of self-determination for the Palestinians. The United States, which has always been a champion of this right, violates its sacred principles, morals and prestige by voting against the right of self-determination of a people.

Under your leadership, the Department of State violated international law, because previously the Department of State considered that the Geneva Convention of 1949 applied to the occupied West Bank and Gaza, and held that the establishment of Jewish settlements in the West Bank and Gaza and settling Jews in these areas was inconsistent with international law. (Please refer to pages 1577-1578 of DIGEST OF UNITED STATES PRACTICE IN INTERNATIONAL LAW, published in 1978 by the Department of State.)

The United States many times used the Veto in the Security Council to protect the Zionist War Criminals. Because

of this stand, the Department of State, under your leadership and that of General Haig, made the United States of America an accomplice of War Crimes and Crimes against Humanity committed by the Zionist War Criminals.

While the Department of State considers the Zionist War Criminals as United States strategic allies, it hypocritically supports a decision to bar his Excellency Dr. Kurt Waldheim, United Nations Secretary General for many years and now President of Austria, from entering the United States on unfounded Zionist allegations. At the same time, the Department of State accepts as military attache General Amos Yaron, a War Criminal who took part in the Criminal War of Aggression against Lebanon from 1982 to 1984 and committed War Crimes against the Lebanese and Palestinians and was charged even by an Israeli commission with having aided and abetted the murderers of men, women and children in Sabra and Shatila camps.

The Department of State bars Dr. Waldheim, and yet receives with honor Zionist War Criminals and terrorists such as Itzhak Shamir, Shimon Peres, Itzhak Rabin, Ariel Sharon and other Zionist War Criminals whose guilt is well established beyond any doubt.

You have demonstrated, Mr. Secretary, by your speeches before AIPAC and other Zionist organizations, that you are constantly cooperating with the Zionist Israeli lobby against the Palestinians and other Arab nations.

However, Mr. Secretary, we applaud your recent stand regarding the misguided efforts by some members of Congress to close the offices of the Palestine Liberation Organization in Washington and in New York. The Palestine Information Center in Washington is doing a great service to the American people by furnishing the American people with the truth about the Palestine problem to disprove Zionist lies. The office of the PLO in New York is taking part in United Nations work in accordance with the resolutions of the General Assembly. It will be a violation of United States agreements with the United Nations to order its closure.

This stand taken by the Department of State on the PLO offices gives us the hope that you, Mr. Secretary, will change your previous attitude toward the Palestine problem, and that during the remaining part of your term in office you will advise President Reagan to adopt the following measures:

1. To cancel the agreement of strategic cooperation with the Israeli War Criminals.

2. To stop all military, economic, financial and political assistance from the United States to the Israeli War Criminals.

3. To use the influence of the United States in the United Nations so that the Security Council and the General Assembly take the following steps:

(a) To declare that so-called Israel is not a State either in fact or in law and to cancel its membership in the United Nations.

(b) The United Nations should use its authority under Chapter VII of the United Nations Charter to form a United Nations force to be sent to occupied Palestine to disarm the Israeli War Criminals.

(c) Israeli society should be totally purged of the racist, aggressive, colonial ideology of Zionism as Germany was de-Nazified after World War II.

(d) That the United Nations will form a commission to enable the indigenous people of Palestine, Muslims, Christians and Jews to form a Holy Land State which will be open to tourism and pilgrimage by peoples of all faiths.

(e) That an independent International Tribunal be established to indict and try the Zionist War Criminals by the same standards used to try and convict the Axis War Criminals after World War II.

If these steps are taken, Mr. Secretary, these achievements will record you in History as the greatest United States Secretary of State, because you then will have restored the prestige of the United States as a true leader of the Free World which upholds justice and international law, and you would bring an era of peace and prosperity to the Middle East and the World at large.

Respectfully yours,

*Issa Nakhleh*  
Issa Nakhleh  
Representative of the  
Arab Higher Committee  
for Palestine  
Chairman, Palestine Arab  
Delegation

This material is filed, under the Foreign Agents' Registration Act with the Department of Justice where the required statement of the Palestine Arab Delegation, as an agency of the Arab Higher Committee for Palestine, is available for inspection, Registration does not imply approval of this material by the United States Government.

## THE PALESTINE ARAB DELEGATION

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December 18, 1987

His Excellency Aleksandr M. Belonogov  
Ambassador and Permanent Representative  
of the U.S.S.R.  
President of the Security Council  
United Nations, New York

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Your Excellency:

The forces of the Zionist War Criminals are committing War Crimes, Crimes Against Humanity and Genocide against the Palestinians in the West Bank and Gaza as they did in 1948 against the Palestinians in the other 80% of Palestine.

This Zionist occupation of Palestine by the Zionist War Criminals is contrary to international law and justice and the Charter of the United Nations. We submit, therefore, that it is the duty of the Security Council to order the immediate withdrawal of Zionist forces from the West Bank and Gaza and to send a United Nations force to keep law and order as the first step for placing the West Bank and Gaza under United Nations Trusteeship for three months to enable the Palestinians in the West Bank and Gaza to set up their democratic sovereign State.

The Representative of the Zionist War Criminals, Benjamin Netanyahu, is himself a War Criminal. On December 8, 1986, we submitted a Statement to the Security Council outlining our indictment of him as a War Criminal on the following grounds:

"1. He served in the Paratroops under Ariel Sharon and his terror squad and became an officer in the Paratroops.

"2. He served in the Paratroops from 2 August 1967 to June 1972, and again from June 1973 to November 1973.

"3. He became an officer in the Paratroops and led a Platoon to commit crimes against Arab civilians in Arab villages.

"4. He took part as a Paratrooper and as an officer of a Platoon of paratroopers to murder innocent Arab civilians in Lebanon, Jordan, Syria and Egypt and blew up Arab houses.

"5. That he was cited for outstanding command in committing these War Crimes and Crimes Against Humanity.

"Benjamin Netanyahu was boasting about his work and was telling his brother 'Yoni' that he much enjoyed committing these War Crimes and Crimes Against Humanity.

"The Palestine People have a complete file to try Benjamin Netanyahu for terrorist acts, War Crimes and Crimes Against Humanity.

"His admissions in the letters to his late brother 'Yoni' and the admissions of his late brother himself, are sufficient to prove his guilt and to convict him as a murderer and War Criminal."

Mr. Netanyahu has no shame to refer to the Geneva Convention of 1949 and to claim that it gives the Zionist War Criminals the right to use their troops to maintain law and order. Can you kindly ask this War Criminal who is representing his fellow War Criminals: Does the Geneva Convention of 1949 authorize the Zionist War Criminals to commit the following War Crimes, Crimes Against Humanity and Genocide against the Palestinians?:

1. Inhuman Treatment and Abasements of Arabs;
2. Brutality of Zionist Soldiers and Police Against the Palestinian Civilian Population;
3. Attacks by Jewish Settlers on Palestinians in the West Bank and Gaza;
4. Illegal Detention of Thousands of Palestinians Under the Most Inhuman Conditions and Their Torture;
5. Usurpation of Palestinian Lands in the West Bank and Depriving Hundreds of Thousands of People of Their Livelihood;
6. Demolition of over One Hundred Thousand homes of Palestinians as Illegal Collective Punishment;
7. The Economic Destruction of Palestinians in the West Bank and Gaza;
8. The Cultural Destruction and Persecution of Palestinians;
9. Destruction and Desecration of Christian and Muslim Holy Places;
10. Armed Attacks, Closing and Disruption of Studies in Palestinian Schools and Universities;
11. Harassment of Palestinian Newspapers by Strict Censorship, Suspension and Closing Down of Newspapers and Detention and Deportation of Palestinian Journalists;
12. Expulsion of Palestinian leaders;
13. Confiscatory Taxation of Properties and Income.
14. Prevention of Family Re-unification.

For the above reasons, Mr. President, we hope that the Security Council will abide by its responsibility as the guardian of international law, peace and justice, and take immediate effective measures to free the Palestinians in the West Bank and Gaza from this reign of terror, War Crimes, Crimes Against Humanity and Genocide committed by the Zionist War Criminals.

Respectfully yours,

*Issa Nakhleh*

Issa Nakhleh

Representative of the  
Arab Higher Committee  
for Palestine



## THE PALESTINE ARAB DELEGATION

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October 29, 1987

President Ronald W. Reagan  
The White House  
1600 Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W.  
Washington, D.C. 20500

Dear Mr. President:

Jewish newspapers reported that Chaim Herzog and Yitshak Shamir of so-called Israel will arrive in the United States next month to meet with you at the White House. Herzog will be coming on an official visit to the United States. These two men, Mr. President, are War Criminals. The Legal Department of the Arab Higher Committee for Palestine has files about the War Crimes committed by each of them.

The indictment against Chaim Herzog will contain at least twenty-five counts of War Crimes and Crimes Against Humanity. He was Head of the Security Department of the Jewish Agency from 1947-1948 and Director of Israeli Military Intelligence from 1948-1950, and he took part in preparing the conspiracy to expel the Palestinians from the Northern and Middle parts of Palestine. He had prior knowledge of the Deir Yassin massacre and other massacres perpetrated by the Zionists in the Galilee District. Therefore, he is guilty with other Zionist leaders of the crimes of massacring Palestinians; the expulsion of Palestinians; robbing, looting, plundering and pillaging of Palestinian lands, homes, properties and possessions; the destruction and occupation of 350 Palestinian town and villages and the usurpation of houses and apartments in twelve Palestinian cities.

From 1957-1959 Herzog was Chief of Staff of the Southern Command of the Israeli Forces which committed War Crimes against the Palestinians by expelling the Bedouins from the Beersheba District and by committing massacres in raids against the Palestinians in the Gaza Strip. Herzog again became Director of Israeli Military Intelligence from 1959-1962 and he took part in planning the massacres committed by the Israeli Armed Forces against the Palestinians, Jordanians and Syrians during that period. The United Nations records provide complete details of these Crimes.

In 1967 Herzog took part in the War of Aggression against Jordan, Syria and Egypt and became the first Military Governor

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of the West Bank and Gaza. Under his command the Israeli Armed Forces expelled by force and massacre more than 300,000 Palestinians, and massacred thousands of Palestinians in the West Bank and the Gaza Strip. Many of them were buried in mass graves in the same way that the Nazis massacred and buried Jews in mass graves.

These few facts among many, Mr. President, prove beyond any doubt that Chaim Herzog should be tried as a War Criminal, and therefore, we submit that he should not be honored by being received by the President of the United States in the White House.

Yitshak Shamir (alias Yitshak Ysernitzky) was a member of the Irgun Zvai Leumi and the Stern Gang, and was one of the triumvirate of top leaders of the Stern Gang 1942-1950. He was responsible for the King David Hotel Massacre, the Deir Yassin Massacre and many other massacres committed against the Palestinians in the Galilee District and in the Jaffa, Lydda and Ramle Sub-Districts from 1948-1950. He was one of the three leaders of the Stern Gang who planned and executed the murder of the United Nations Representative Count Folke Bernadotte.

From 1950-1965 Shamir was working as a Senior Official of Mossad and was in charge of assassinating Palestinian community leaders in Palestine and Palestinian and other Arab activists in Europe. At least twenty-five Arabs were assassinated through his planning and active participation.

These are but few of the many facts which prove that Yitshak Shamir is a terrorist and a War Criminal. His indictment will contain at least fifty counts of War Crimes and Crimes Against Humanity.

From 1965-1970 he was a so-called private businessman working with the Soviet Union and co-operating with Soviet Intelligence. We assume that Shamir is one of the links between Israeli Intelligence and the KGB which gives the secrets of American weapons to the Soviet Union.

Herzog, as so-called President of so-called Israel, and Shamir, as so-called Prime Minister of so-called Israel, are responsible for War Crimes and Crimes Against Humanity being presently committed daily against the Palestinians in the West Bank and Gaza, which can be summarized as follows:

1. Robbing the Palestinians of their lands and establishing Jewish colonies in the West Bank and Gaza.
2. Robbing the Palestinians of their water resources and giving 80% of the water to Jewish colonies.

3. Destruction of Arab homes.
4. Murder of Arab civilians.
5. Collective punishment against the Palestinians.
6. Imprisonment and detention of over 4,000 Arab men and women in prisons or concentration camps, mostly without trial but only by Administrative Detention Orders.
7. Disruption of Arab Education in Palestinian Schools and Universities.
8. Expulsion of Palestinian leaders from the West Bank and Gaza.
9. Torture of Palestinian prisoners and detainees.
10. Destruction, desecration and usurpation of Christian and Muslim Holy Places and violation of Christian and Muslim religious rights.
11. Willful destruction of the economy of the Palestinians in the West Bank and Gaza.
12. Wanton bombing of Palestinian Refugee Camps in Lebanon and killing thousands of men, women and children and destroying thousands of refugee homes.
13. The inhuman separation of Palestinian families by refusing return of members of families to their homes in the West Bank and the Gaza Strip.
14. Conspiracy to expel, and preparation for the future expulsion, of the remaining Palestinians under Zionist rule from so-called Israel and from the West Bank and Gaza.

Mr. President, we hereby submit to you unimpeachable facts against the War Criminals Chaim Herzog and Yitshak Shamir (alias Yitshak Ysernitzky) and, therefore, we hope that you will not honor them by receiving them at the White House.

We have learned also that the War Criminal Ariel Sharon is coming to the United States to meet U.S. officials and filch more money from the Treasury of the United States to help him commit further War Crimes against the Palestinians. The Legal Department of the Arab Higher Committee for Palestine has unimpeachable facts for indicting Ariel Sharon for War Crimes and Crimes Against Humanity consisting of more than one hundred counts.

Ariel Sharon took part in hundreds of raids against Palestinian and Jordanian villages, such as Qibya, Nahalin and others destroying many homes in these villages and massacring or maiming thousands of men, women and children. He was greatly responsible for waging the 1982 War Against Lebanon, for the massacres committed in Lebanon, as well as the destruction of thousands of buildings and homes of Lebanese and Palestinians. He is responsible for the murder and homelessness of hundreds of thousands of Palestinians and Lebanese and for other War Crimes which were committed, and which are still today being committed, against the Palestinians and Lebanese in Lebanon. Therefore, we hope, Mr. President, that your Administration will bar the War Criminal Ariel Sharon from entering the United States.

Mr. President, the Israeli lobby in Washington is dictating its will to the United States Congress, which is forcing your Administration to adopt policies detrimental to the United States best interests and its stature as a great power.

The United States, unjustly and without any proof whatsoever, barred Dr. Kurt Waldheim, the President of Austria, from entering the United States because of the agitation and influence of the Israeli lobby in the United States. Dr. Waldheim is a distinguished world figure who was Secretary General of the United Nations and who as a world statesman has made great contributions to international peace and security. No charges were ever brought against him, but the Zionist lobby maligned and defamed him with flimsy allegations and forced your administration to take such an unwise, irresponsible and unprecedented decision against the President of a friendly country.

The Israeli Lobby pressured Senator Dole and Congressman Jack Kemp and others to submit bills and amendments to close the offices of the Palestine Liberation Organization in Washington and New York. It is tragic that your Administration has succumbed to such pressure by closing the Washington office. Congress, under Zionist pressure, is in the process of enacting amendments to force your Administration to violate its international obligations under the United Nations Headquarters Agreement irrespective of the consequences. Some Arab states may retaliate by closing United States information offices in their countries. The Zionists and Communists will be only too happy to succeed in isolating the United States from the Arab world. This is their evil objective.

Mr. President, so-called Israel is only an illegal occupation of the ancestral homeland of the Palestinians. It is led by five hundred military and political leaders who are War Criminals covering-up for each other and controlling the top political, military, business and academic positions.

Therefore, Mr. President, we submit that so-called Israel is no more fit to be 'a strategic ally of the United States' than Nazi Germany would be.

We, therefore, implore you, Mr. President, to cancel the agreement of strategic co-operation between the United States and so-called Israel and to stop all military, financial, economic, political, diplomatic and moral assistance to so-called Israel.

The Israeli Intelligence Service led your Administration by the nose into the Iran-Contra Scandal which caused a great embarrassment to you personally, Mr. President, and damaged your Administration and the cause of the Free World. The Israeli Intelligence Service was responsible for the Pollard Spy Case which stole hundreds of thousands of important classified documents from the U.S. and passed on vital information to the KGB through such long-time Soviet collaborators as Shamir.

Mr. President, we know how strongly you oppose Communism and cherish democratic principles, uphold human rights, human dignity, property rights, and the self-determination of peoples. So-called Israel violates each one of these principles which are cherished by you and the American people. So-called Israel since its illegal establishment has strong secret relations with the Soviet Union and Communism. It was the Soviet Union and the Communist States in Central and Eastern Europe which strongly supported the establishment of so-called Israel in 1947-1948. In 1948 it was the Soviet Union and Czechoslovakia which airlifted Soviet weapons to the Zionists in Palestine. So-called Israel is the only State in the Middle East which has a strong Communist Party. The Zionist terrorist organizations, the Israeli Intelligence Service, the Herut Party, and the Labor Party have always had strong secret relations with the Soviet Union and other Communist countries. David Ben-Gurion in 1949 sent Golda Meyersohn (Meir) to the Soviet Union with a mutual defense pact. So-called Israel is the Soviet's Trojan Horse in the Middle East. The ruling circle in so-called Israel are Soviet, Polish, Czechoslovakian and other East European Jews. They have special loyalty to the Soviet Union and Communism in view of the fact that it was European and American Jews who unleashed Communism on the world.

For all the above reasons, Mr. President, the United States should terminate its relations with so-called Israel and stop all assistance to it. This assistance is making the United States an accessory to War Crimes and Crimes Against Humanity.

Mr. President, the United States is a Great Christian nation. It is the leader of the Free World facing the Soviet "Evil Empire" and the international Communist conspiracy to

control the world. Therefore, the United States can only qualify to be leader of the Free World if it promotes Human Rights, upholds international law and justice and the Right of Self-determination of peoples, and opposes War Crimes and all those who commit War Crimes and Crimes Against Humanity. Israeli leaders are War Criminals who have violated all the principles to which this great nation of the United States is dedicated. Therefore, the support of the United States Administration and Congress to the Israeli War Criminals is a negation of all the principles on which the United States was founded.

This connection between Israel and the United States is discrediting the United States in Asia and Africa. Therefore, we implore you, Mr. President, as leader of this great nation, to terminate United States relations with Israel and free the United States Government and Congress from Zionist domination. If you do that, Mr. President, you will be considered in history as the greatest President of the United States, the one who liberated the United States Administration and Congress from this humiliating Zionist domination.

United States policy on the Palestine Problem has been immoral, illegal, contrary to United States principles, contrary to the principles of international law and justice, and has been only aimed at enabling the Zionist War Criminals to enjoy the fruits of their War Crimes. The half-hearted United States effort in the so-called peace process is based on false premises having only one aim, to enable the Zionist War Criminals to enjoy their usurpation of the Palestinian homeland, homes, lands and properties without any regard for the God-given Palestinian birthright and their right of Self-determination to live in dignity and freedom in their ancestral homeland.

We appeal to you, Mr. President, to defend the name and the best interests of the United States by taking the most important decision to disassociate the United States from these Zionist War Criminals in Occupied Palestine, and to support the right of the five million Christian and Muslim Palestinians to return to their ancestral homeland and establish with their fellow Palestinian Jews a Holy Land State with no army, navy or air force and that the Holy Land State of Palestine should be only a state for pilgrimage and worship.

Respectfully yours,

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